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CALENDAR FOR 1901.

JANUARY 5, Saturday—Monthly Meeting.

FEBRUARY 2, Saturday—Monthly Meeting.

MARCH 2, Saturday—Monthly Meeting.

APRIL 6, Saturday—Monthly Meeting.

MAY 4, Saturday—Monthly Meeting.

JUNE 1, Saturday—Monthly Meeting. Address by Mr. Robert S. Sinclair concerning the "Mosquito Pest" and what can be done to exterminate or mitigate the nuisance.

OCTOBER 5, Saturday—Monthly Meeting.

NOVEMBER 2, Saturday—Annual Meeting.

DECEMBER 7, Saturday—Monthly Meeting. Address by Mr. Lawson Purdy on "Double Taxation and Local Option in Taxation."

DECEMBER 21, Saturday—Subscription dinner in celebration of Forefathers' Day.

Accessions to the Society in 1870, 112; average annual accessions 1871-1880, *24; 1881-1885, 30; 1886-1890, 19; 1891-1895, 17; accessions in 1896, 29, in 1897, 38, in 1898, 21, in 1899, 34, in 1900, 17, in 1901, 28. Present (annual) membership, 367.

*For details see Constitution and By-Laws, 1881.

BOARD OF OFFICERS.*

ELECTED NOVEMBER 2, 1901.

President.

FREDERICK W. KELSEY.

Vice-Presidents.

ISAAC C. OGDEN,
FREDERIC ADAMS.

Counsellors.

FRANK H. DYCKMAN,
JAMES E. REYNOLDS,
ARTHUR A. RICHMOND,
WALTER I. McCOY,
ALFRED B. JENKINS,
LOUIS D. GALLISON.

Treasurer.

CHARLES A. LINDSLEY.

Recording Secretary.

CHARLES H. BURKE.

Corresponding Secretary.

JOHN K. GORE.

Curator.

GEORGE J. BAYLES.

* For list of Officers 1870-1895, see Constitution and By-Laws for 1895, and pamphlet report of the celebration of the Society's twenty-fifth anniversary.

COMMITTEES FOR 1902.

Public Welfare.

FRANK H. DYCKMAN, *Chairman*; Frederic Adams, James E. Reynolds, Isaac C. Ogden, Walter I. McCoy.

Charity.

LOUIS D. GALLISON, *Chairman*; Arthur A. Richmond, Alfred B. Jenkins, Charles A. Lindsley, Charles H. Burke.

Membership.

For one year—Charles J. Prescott, Samuel H. Dodd, William H. Baker.

For two years—Charles F. Kroeh, Robert P. Williams, Richard K. Mosley.

For three years—Charles A. Meigs, Clarence W. Baldwin, Wilson Farrand.

Rules and Rooms.

HORACE B. MANN, *Chairman*; Alden Freeman, William J. Baer, Robert Arrowsmith, Cornelius C. Vermeule.

Auditing.

THEODORE C. WOODBURY, *Chairman*; Harry T. Ambrose.

Library.

EDWARD L. KELLOGG, *Chairman*; Alexander King, Bleecker Van Wagenen, Alfred C. Wall, George J. Bayles.

Lectures.

CHARLES F. KROEH, *Chairman*; Henry B. Closson, Charles A. Mead, Rev. Adolph Roeder, John K. Gore.

Amendments to By-Laws.

GEORGE H. AUSTIN, *Chairman*; Archer Brown, Charles S. LeP. Trench.

Local History.

FRANK W. BALDWIN, *Chairman*; William Riker, Jr., Joseph D. Holmes.

RULES FOR THE USE OF ROOMS.

- I. The rooms shall be opened at 2 and closed punctually at 10 P. M.
- II. The regular entrance to the rooms shall be by the West door, except on occasion of the monthly meetings.
- III. No one shall be admitted to the East Room during the session of any Section, except the members thereof, or upon their invitation, extended through a member in attendance.
- IV. Each Section shall provide itself with a placard denoting that it is in session, to be hung during its session upon the outside of the door leading into the inner passage.
- V. Smoking in these rooms will not be allowed under any circumstances.
- VI. Loud conversation shall not be indulged in.
- VII. It is forbidden to mark or deface any paper, periodical, or book belonging to the Society, by drawing, comment or correction, or to clip or otherwise mutilate it.
- VIII. No paper, periodical, or book belonging to the Society shall be taken from the rooms under any circumstances.

- IX. In order to the observance of the last two rules especially, and for the better preservation of order, it is recommended that members do not permit their children under fifteen years of age to frequent the rooms.
- X. No visitor shall be admitted at any time to the rooms except by invitation of and in company with a person entitled through membership to the privileges of the rooms; and no visitor not a specially invited guest of the Society shall be admitted to any business meeting.
- XI. The person having charge of the rooms shall promptly report any infringement of these rules.

[By vote of the Society of June 5, 1880, the families of deceased members are continued in the privileges of the Reading-Room. Rule VIII has been modified by allowing members to take from the Library certain books indicated on a list which can be found at the rooms of the Society.]

RECORDING SECRETARY'S REPORT.

ORANGE, N. J., NOV. 2, 1901.

To the President and Members of the New England Society:

The Recording Secretary presents herewith his fifth and last annual report of the work accomplished and the business transacted by the Society for the year ending to-night.

During the past season meetings have been held regularly upon the first Saturday evening of the month, according to the constitutional requirement. The largest attendance was in October when fifty-three were present ; the smallest in April when an unusually severe storm kept away all but twenty-four, the average for the year being thirty-seven. This number is somewhat smaller than the average of the preceding season, but it does not suggest any falling off in the interest of the members, for each meeting has been well attended and the subjects discussed have been timely and important, leading to exchange of views and opinions at once entertaining and helpful.

During the year there were twenty-one admissions to membership, as follows: Rev. Walter Reid Hunt, Judge Frederic Adams, Edward W. Peckham, Rev. F. W. Hodgdon, Dr. Eugene G. West, Albert C. Wall, F. W. Callaway, William E. Drake, Ralph H. Beach, John B. Dodd, Newton B. Phelps, James R. T. McCarroll, George Merck, John W. Dunn, Theodore Wood-

bury, Hamilton S. Corwin, Frank H. Jamison, Frank C. Hoyt, N. D. Moulds, H. A. Hickok and Harold Roorback.

The number of resignations was five, there being eight the previous year, while the deaths reported were four, one more than the preceding season. As the additions exceeded those of a year ago by four, the net gain for the Society membership was twelve; double the net result for 1899-1900.

The Committee work of the Society—one of its special features—was kept up to the high standard of former years, and at nearly every meeting timely and carefully prepared reports were presented, eliciting general and interesting discussions.

Among the subjects brought up for consideration, upon which special investigation and inquiry were made, were the law respecting the lease and grants of riparian rights; the question of polygamy and the best means for its suppression; uniform laws respecting marriage and divorce; the sanitary condition of Orange; and the advisability of consolidating the spring municipal with the national and State elections in November.

The plan of converting the palisades of the Hudson into an interstate park reservation, thus securing from destruction this remarkable natural wonder, was ably seconded by the Society and a special delegation was sent to Trenton during the session of the Legislature to urge prompt and proper action in connection with the work of the Interstate Commission. It is not too much to say that to the representatives of this organization,

who performed such excellent service at the capital, is due in some large measure the co-operative assistance offered by the State.

Another subject brought before the members and still in committee is a proposed scheme to develop the property in the neighborhood of the Stickler Memorial Building of the Orange Free Library, a location where some public buildings may be erected, making not only a proper setting for the magnificent library, but also a small park or plaza to beautify and make attractive that vicinity. And recently the attempts of the North Jersey Traction Company to gain possession of Central avenue for a new trolley line led to renewed efforts on the Society's part to secure Park and Central avenues and turn them over to the Park Commission as part of the county system.

During the winter an excellent course of three lectures was furnished by the Society through its efficient Lecture Committee, the speakers and subjects being Dr. Henry G. Peabody, who took his audience "Around Historic Boston"; Prof. David B. Todd, who described the "Eclipse of 1900"; and Cleveland Moffett, who exhibited magnificent reproductions of the famous Tissot pictures. These lectures were beautifully and accurately illustrated by the stereopticon, and formed one of the most interesting features of the Society's year.

In addition to the formal lectures the members were favored at two of the meetings by addresses from among our own number. In December Judge J. Franklin Fort spoke on "Penal Reform," describing in a most enter-

taining manner the progress which has been made, especially in New Jersey, in the treatment and reform of criminals; and in the spring Mr. Robert S. Sinclair outlined the plan and attempts of South Orange to abate the mosquito nuisance by means of crude petroleum, giving many interesting facts regarding the development and life of the insect pest and the methods to be followed in its extermination.

In October, 1881, within the first decade of its foundation, the New England Society, in common with all patriotic and law-abiding citizens, was compelled, in consequence of the fiendish act of a fanatical partisan, to record the death of James A. Garfield, President of the United States, and to adopt resolutions of regret at the sudden taking off of the Executive and of condemnation of the assassin. Twenty years after, at the same initial meeting of the season, the usual joyous beginning of a year's work was saddened by the death of William McKinley, the beloved chief of a united and prosperous people, which had occurred but a short time before as the result of a cowardly attack by a weak-minded, misled anarchist. Resolutions were adopted expressing the Society's high appreciation of the sterling qualities of the man and the wisdom and ability of the statesman and executive, and recording the "deep abhorrence of the crime and of those whose teachings inspire such crimes."

On the evening of December 22, the members and their guests met in Upper Music Hall, where under the most favorable auspices and circumstances they appro-

propriately commemorated and fostered the virtues of the Fathers of New England, and did their best to cultivate the social relations which are prescribed by the fundamental law of the Society. The speakers of the evening were President Schurman, of Cornell University; Rev. Dr. Leander T. Chamberlin, of New York; Hon. William M. Ivins, of New York; Charles J. Bonaparte, Esq., of Baltimore, and Prof. James G. Crosswell, of New York. It is gratifying to report that the dinner was a success financially as well as socially, and that the committee was able to turn over to the Society a balance—not large it is true, but upon the right side of the ledger.

In such a way the New England Society has passed its year. Nothing unusual has occurred to especially distinguish this season from others, but the wise and conservative action upon important matters of municipal, state and national affairs, the careful and truthful presentation of facts, and the very evident absence of selfish motive in its acts have given it an increasing power in originating and directing public opinion, and have widened its influence for good in this community.

Respectfully submitted,

EDWARD H. DUTCHER,

Secretary.

TREASURER'S REPORT

OF THE NEW ENGLAND SOCIETY OF ORANGE FOR
THE YEAR ENDING NOVEMBER 2, 1901.

RECEIPTS.

Balance at last annual report in General Fund.....		\$1,612.99
Annual Dues.....	\$1,770.00	
Initiation Fees.....	110.00	
Rebate on Taxes.....	.13	
Received of Dinner Committee.....	2.36	
Int on Half Dime Savings Bank Fund	21.73	
Int. on Orange Savings Bank Fund..	16.69	
	<hr style="width: 10%; display: inline-block; vertical-align: middle;"/> 1,920.91	
		<hr style="width: 10%; display: inline-block; vertical-align: middle;"/> \$3,533.90

DISBURSEMENTS.

For Rent	\$600.00
“ Care of Rooms.....	300.00
“ Cleaning Rooms.....	39.05
“ Lighting Rooms.....	58.87
“ Taxes	13.45
	<hr style="width: 10%; display: inline-block; vertical-align: middle;"/> \$1,011.37
“ Printing	81.80
“ Stationery for Secretary.....	4.80
“ Assistance for Secretary.....	28.55
“ Postage, Stationery and Revenue	
Stamps for Treasurer... ..	27.40
“ Postage for Custodian.....	8.00
“ Books and Subscriptions	71.75

For Printing Year Book.....	\$55.00	
“ Refreshments.....	74.00	
“ Dinner Committee.....	28.75	
“ Lecture Committee.. ..	241.00	
“ Membership Committee.....	6.80	
“ Rules and Rooms Committee...	8.26	
“ New Receipt Book for Treasurer	12.75	
“ New Awnings.....	27.00	
	<hr/>	\$1,687.23
Cash		15.00
Balance in Half Dime Savings Bank.....		741.59
“ “ Orange Savings Bank.....		567.45
“ “ Orange National Bank.....		522.63
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		\$3,533.90

ASSETS

Twenty-one Shares Music Hall Association	
Stock	\$1,050.00
Cash in Half Dime Savings Bank.....	741.59
“ “ Orange Savings Bank.....	567.45
“ “ Orange National Bank.....	522.63
“ on hand.....	15.00
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	\$2,896.67

Respectfully submitted,

F. H. DYCKMAN, *Treasurer.*

CURATOR'S REPORT.

ORANGE, November 2, 1901.

To the President and Members of the New England Society of Orange :

The Society's collection of books has been increased during the year by gifts from W. P. Garrison, C. G. Kidder, Smithsonian Institution, Commissioner of Education, Department of the Interior, Washington, D. C., and State Librarian through C. J. Prescott.

According to the plan put in operation by the Library Committee for the removal from the rooms of certain of the books by members and their families, one hundred and sixty-eight have been so taken.

Visitors to the rooms from November 1900, to November, 1901, have been as follows :

	Ladies.	Gentlemen.	Total.
November.....	61	110	171
December.....	72	120	192
January.....	75	115	190
February.....	68	124	192
March.....	50	95	145
April.....	60	99	159
May.....	102	90	192
June.....	45	75	120
July.....	15	10	25
August.....	8	5	13
September.....	20	30	50
October.....	32	80	112
	<hr/> 608	<hr/> 953	<hr/> 1561

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE JAMES BAYLES,

Curator.

GENEALOGICAL REGISTER.

EVERY member, besides entering his name in the Register of the New England Society of Orange, supplies in writing, as far as possible, the following data : Town, County, State, Month, Day and Year in which born ; Father's Name in full ; Mother's Maiden Name in full ; Wife's Maiden Name in full ; Date of Leaving New England ; Date of Removal to Orange ; Present Place of Residence ; Business ; Post-Office Address.

The edition of the Constitution and By-Laws for 1875 contains the genealogical data for the six preceding years under one alphabet. Successive editions down to and including that of 1879 kept pace with the additions.

*MEMBERS.

HONORARY MEMBERS.

- 1872 Hon. Joseph R. Hawley.
1885 George H. Watson.
1896 Henry P. Starbuck.
1899 Usher W. Cutts.

LIFE MEMBERS.

- 1896 Isaac E. Gates (Conn.), P., V. P., C., 23 Broad St.,
N. Y.
1896 Walter Scranton (Penn.), 86 Harrison St., East
Orange.

YEARLY MEMBERS.

- 1881 Abiel Abbot (Mass.), 431 William St., E. Orange.
1880 Peter B. Acker (N. Y.), 70 Beekman St., N. Y.
1880 George E. Adams (Mass.), S. Orange,
1894 John Q. Adams, Jr. (N. Y.), 54 Wall St., N. Y.
1900 Frederic Adams (N. H.), V. P., 77 Washington St.,
E. Orange.
1889 Charles G. Alford (Mass.), 89 Harrison St., E.
Orange.
1898 J. Warren Alford (N. J.), 89 Harrison St., E.
Orange.

*The state or country annexed to each name denotes nativity merely. The letters P., V. P., C., S., C. S., T., CUR., denote that the individual has at some time been President, Vice-President, Counsellor, (Recording) Secretary, Corresponding Secretary, Treasurer or Curator of the Society.

- 1884 William F. Allen (N. J.), C., S. Orange.
- 1897 Albert C. Almy (N. Y.), 114 William St., Orange.
- 1895 Harry T. Ambrose (Ky.), Center St. and Fuller Ter., Orange.
- 1897 Edward F. Anderson (O.), 49 Barclay St., N. Y.
- 1896 Edgar M. Andrews (N. Y.), 86 Highland Ave., Orange.
- 1878 Frank Arnold (N. J.), 477 Broome St., N. Y.
- 1899 Robert Arrowsmith (N. Y.), 245 Highland Ave., Orange.
- 1881 Edward W. Ashley (Ireland), Box 2954, N. Y.
- 1896 Henry G. Atwater (N. Y.), E. Orange.
- 1870 Henry B. Auchincloss (N. Y.), C., 161 W. 78th St., N. Y.
- 1900 George H. Austin (Me.), 85 Washington St., E. Orange.
- 1898 Arthur C. Babson (Mass.), 143 Liberty St., N. Y.
- 1887 Absalom P. Bachman (Pa.), Box 383, Orange.
- 1886 William J. Baer (O.), 90 Grove St., N. Y.
- 1889 Henry P. Bailey (Mass.), 133 Prospect St., E. Orange.
- 1889 William T. Baird (O.), Box 2180, N. Y.
- 1897 William H. Baker (Md.), 93 So. Munn Ave., E. Orange.
- 1895 Clarence W. Baldwin (N. J.), 101 Park Ave., Orange.
- 1877 Frank W. Baldwin (N. J.), Orange.
- 1896 Wilmer A. Baldwin (N. J.), 61 So. Munn Ave., E. Orange.
- 1884 William Barr (Scotland), Box 900, Orange.

- 1895 Frank Q. Barstow (Wis.), E. Orange.
- 1891 George J. Bayles (N. Y.), **Cur.**, 408 Main St., Orange.
- 1880 James C. Bayles (N. Y.), 42 Washington St., E. Orange.
- 1898 Edwin Beach (N. J.), 13 Bell St., Orange.
- 1901 Ralph H. Beach (Mich), 119 Prospect St., E. Orange.
- 1895 William Beach (N. J.), 13 Bell St., Orange.
- 1876 Carl E. Billqvist (Sweden), **C.**, 68 Broad St., N. Y.
- 1899 Isaac H. Blanchard (N. J.), 108 High St., Orange.
- 1872 Alfred P. Boller (Pa.), 27 Pine St., N. Y.
- 1901 Elias H. Bonnell (N. J.), 238 Main St., Orange.
- 1881 Edward Boote (England), 48 Park Place, N. Y.
- 1897 Ogden H. Bowers (N. J.), 62 Leonard St., N. Y.
- 1880 Julius A. Boylan (N. J.), 136 Pearl St., N. Y.
- 1881 J. Hammond Bradshaw (Mass.), Orange.
- 1895 William H. Bradshaw (N. Y.), **C.**, 245 Broadway, N. Y.
- 1895 George W. Bramhall (N. J.), **C.**, Center St., Orange.
- 1895 Walter B. Brewer (N. J.), Webster Pl., E. Orange.
- 1870 William A. Brewer, Jr., (Mass.), **P., V. P., C., T.**, Box 774, N. Y.
- 1898 A. Ward Brigham (N. Y.), 43 Prospect St., E. Orange.
- 1897 Matthew V. B. Brinckerhoff (N. Y.), 110 Worth St., N. Y.
- 1899 Charles P. Brooks (Pa.), 154 Prospect St., E. Orange.

- 1883 Jonathan J. Broome (N. Y.), Box 2040, N. Y.
- 1899 Archer Brown (N. Y.), 80 So. Munn Ave., E. Orange.
- 1899 Edward E. Bruen (N. J.), 59 Lenox Ave., E. Orange.
- 1899 T. Earle Budd (N. J.), 90 Park St., Orange.
- 1878 Henry W. Bulkley (N. Y.), 128 Harrison St., E. Orange.
- 1897 I. Newton Burdick (N. Y.), Highland Ave., Orange.
- 1901 William E. Burgess (N. Y.), 255 Central Ave., Orange.
- 1899 Charles H. Burke (Germany), S., 361 Vose Ave., S. Orange.
- 1879 Areunah M. Burtis (N. Y.), 6 Clarendon Pl., Orange.
- 1901 Frederic W. Callaway (N. J.), 228 Main St., Orange.
- 1884 James L. Carr (N. Y.), 20 W. 4th St., N. Y.
- 1870 Aaron Carter, Jr., (N. J.), C., Orange.
- 1899 Douglass A. Cater (N. Y.), Main and High Sts., Orange.
- 1897 Arthur D. Chandler (Conn.), 19 Highland Ter., Orange.
- 1888 Phineas P. Chew (N. Y.), S. Orange.
- 1900 John E. Cheesman (N. Y.), 17 So. Arlington Ave., E. Orange.
- 1886 Frank W. Child (N. Y.), Lincoln Ave., Orange.
- 1886 Charles H. Christian (England), 28 Prospect St., E. Orange.
- 1881 Walter Churr (Penn.), 24 Park Pl., N. Y.

- 1896 Charles A. Claffin (Mass.), 196 Church St., N. Y.
 1898 J. Rockhill Clair (N. J.), 11 Cleveland St., Orange.
 1895 Edward E. Clapp (Mass.), C., E. Orange.
 1888 Treadwell Cleveland (Pa.), 52 Wall St., N. Y.
 1894 Henry B. Closson (R. I.), C., 97 Cleveland St.,
 Orange.
 1893 Henry N. Cobb (N. Y.), 25 E. 22d St., N. Y.
 1893 Sandford E. Cobb (N. Y.), 51 Wall St., N. Y.
 1879 Richard M. Colgate (N. Y.), 55 John St., N. Y.
 1892 Sidney M. Colgate (N. J.), 55 John St., N. Y.
 1879 Edward M. Colie (N. J.), C., 776 Broad St., New-
 ark.
 1897 Stephen A. Condict (N. J.), Tremont Pl., Orange.
 1893 Jotham H. Condit (N. J.), 8 Prospect St., E.
 Orange.
 1897 George E. Coney (O.), 48 Wall St., N. Y.
 1880 Eugene V. Connett (Va.), S. Orange.
 1901 Hamilton S. Corwin (N. Y.), 45 E. Park St., E.
 Orange.
 1896 John L. Crater (N. J.), Orange.
 1900 Thomas R. Creede (N. J.), 358 William St., E.
 Orange.
 1886 William D. Crumbie (N. J.), 402 Washington St.,
 N. Y.
 1878 Henry R. Curtis (Conn.), Box 2190, N. Y.
 1883 John Dane, Jr., (Mass.), 261 Broadway, N. Y.
 1895 Maurice S. Decker (N. Y.), 119 Cleveland St.,
 Orange.
 1883 Warren Delano, Jr., (N. Y.), 1 Broadway, N. Y.
 1898 George T. Dixon (Pa.), 43 E. Park St., E. Orange.

- 1897 Robert M. Dixon (N. J.), 21 Walnut St., E. Orange.
 1880 Charles E. Dodd (N. J.), Orange.
 1901 John B. Dodd (N. J.), 279 Dodd St., E. Orange.
 1896 Samuel H. Dodd (N. C.), E. Orange.
 1883 Elias O. Doremus (N. J.), 60 Washington St., E.
 . Orange.
 1897 Frederick H. Doremus (N. J.), 49 Barclay St., N. Y.
 1895 Andrew J. Dotger (Pa.), S. Orange.
 1879 Benjamin Douglass, Jr. (N. Y.), Orange.
 1879 Robert D. Douglass (N. Y.), Orange.
 1901 William E. Drake (N. Y.), 17 Webster Pl., E.
 Orange.
 1901 John W. Dunn (O.), 49 So. Maple Ave., E. Orange.
 1899 Alonzo Durkee (N. Y.), 530 William St., E. Orange.
 1895 Edward H. Dutcher (Vt.), **S.**, 87 N. Munn Ave.,
 E. Orange.
 1885 Charles Dutton (Mass.), E. Orange.
 1893 Frank H. Dyckman (N. J.), **C., T.**, 13 Astor Pl., N. Y.
 1891 Charles E. Eaton (Conn.), **Cur.**, 841 Broadway, N. Y.
 1888 Thomas A. Edison (O.), Orange.
 1881 Francis M. Eppley (Pa.), Orange.
 1898 William F. Etherington (N. Y.), So. Munn Ave., E.
 Orange.
 1897 John D. Everitt (N. J.), **C.**, Orange.
 1896 Lennox S. Faber (N. Y.), Orange.
 1889 Leslie P. Farmer (Conn.), 143 Liberty St., N. Y.
 1896 Thomas H. P. Farr (Penn.), W. Orange.
 1899 Wilson Farrand (N. J.), 39 Evergreen Pl., E. Orange.
 1895 Murray W. Ferris (Conn.), S. Orange.
 877 Albert O. Field (N. H.), E, Orange.

- 1888 Thomas S. P. Fitch (N. B.), 14 Prospect St., E. Orange.
- 1880 Dexter N. Force (Md.), 138 So. Mountain Ave., Montclair.
- 1899 J. Franklin Fort (N. J.), 51 No. Arlington Ave., E. Orange.
- 1880 George W. Fortmeyer (N. Y.), 287 Pearl St., N. Y.
- 1896 Thomas N. Foster (Wis.) Llewellyn Park, W. Orange.
- 1900 Tallmadge W. Foster, (O.), 59 Evergreen Pl., E. Orange.
- 1890 William M. Franklin (N. Y.), Box 3557, N. Y.
- 1896 Alden Freeman (O.), 101 So. Munn Ave., E. Orange.
- 1890 Henry W. Freeman (N. Y.), C., S. Orange.
- 1885 Joel F. Freeman (N. Y.), 101 So. Munn Ave., E. Orange.
- 1871 Wilberforce Freeman (N. J.), C., 437 Main St., Orange.
- 1898 Charles F. French (N. Y.), 81 Park Ave., Orange.
- 1890 Louis D. Gallison (Mass.), C., 83 Highland Ave., Orange.
- 1891 Thomas K. Gardner (R. I.), Box 2015, N. Y.
- 1870 Wendell P. Garrison (Mass.), S., C. S., Box 743, Orange.
- 1901 Jerome D. Gedney (N. J.) 38 Burnett St., E. Orange.
- 1881 Paul F. Gerhard (Prussia), 165 Harrison St., E. Orange.
- 1889 Franklin W. Giffin, (N. Y.) 299 Lincoln Ave., Orange.
- 1889 John H. Giffin, Jr., (N. Y.), 311 Lincoln Ave., Orange.

- 1899 John K. Gore (N. J.) **C. S.**, 157 Cleveland St.
Orange.
- 1899 Frederick H. Gould (N. J.), 8 Bell St., Orange.
- 1900 William B. Gould, (N. J.), 128 Montrose Ave.,
Orange.
- 1870 Henry Graves (N. Y.), **P., C.**, 143 Liberty St., N. Y.
- 1889 Percy Griffin (N. J.), **S.**, 48 Exchange Pl., N. Y.
- 1885 Willis D. Hager (N. Y.), 31 Washington St., E.
Orange.
- 1896 Edward L. Hale (Mass.), 120 Broadway, N. Y.
- 1884 Henry Hale (Mo.), 123 Cleveland St., Orange.
- 1899 William J. Hall (Ireland), 172 Park Ave., Orange.
- 1884 Harvey R. Halsey (N. Y.), 66 Broadway, N. Y.
- 1870 Jacob L. Halsey (N. Y.), **C.**, 111 Glenwood Ave., E.
Orange.
- 1899 N. W. Halsey (Ill.), Montrose Ave , S. Orange
- 1895 Caleb S. Hammond (N. Y.), 61 E. 9th St., N. Y.
- 1896 Frederick G. Händel (Germany), 55 State St., E.
Orange.
- 1888 Alfred J. Harrison (N. J.), 130 Hillside Ave. Orange,
- 1880 George H. Hartford (Me.), 63 Ridge St , Orange.
- 1896 Hayward A. Harvey (N. J.), 52 Wall St., N. Y.
- 1880 Thomas W. Harvey (N. Y.), **C., Cur.**, 463 Main St.,
Orange.
- 1895 Charles Hathaway (N. Y.), 146 Prospect St., E.
Orange
- 1880 Robert W. Hawkesworth (Barbados), 100 Broadway
N. Y.
- 1894 Irad Hawley (N. J.), Box 247, N. Y.
- 1871 John O. Heald (Vt.) **P., V. P., C.**, 62 Wall St., N. Y.

- 1901 H. Addison Hickok (N. Y.), 550 Springdale Ave.,
E. Orange.
- 1883 Thomas Higgins (Del.), 26 Prospect St., E. Orange.
- 1880 Edwin W. Hine (Conn.), Box 963, Orange.
- 1872 Henry F. Hitch (Mass.), **P., V. P.**, So. Orange.
- 1901 F. W. Hodgdon (Mass.), 48 Highland Ave., Orange.
- 1898 Frederick L. Hoffman (Germany), 130 Hillside Ave.,
Orange.
- 1895 Joseph D. Holmes (N. J.), 90 High St., Orange.
- 1898 George W. Hopping (N. Y.), 59 Maiden Lane, N. Y.
- 1894 William C. Horn (Md.), 125 Prospect St., E. Orange.
- 1899 George R. Howe (N. Y.), 108 No. Arlington Ave.,
E. Orange.
- 1889 Solomon H. Howe (Mass.), 83 Worth St., N. Y.
- 1879 William R. Howe (N. J.), **P., V. P., C., S.**, 227
Main St., Orange.
- 1900 William B. Howell (N. J.), 57 So. Clinton St., E.
Orange.
- 1901 Frank C. Hoyt (N. J.), 76 High St., Orange.
- 1878 William H. Hussey (N. Y.), 150 W. 35th St., N. Y.
- 1900 Walter R. Hunt (Me.), 65 Glenwood Ave., E.
Orange.
- 1897 Peter V. Huyssoon (N. Y.), 75 Park Ave., Orange.
- 1901 Frank H. Jamison (N. J.), 62 Snyder St., Orange.
- 1873 Samuel F. Jayne (N. Y.), **Cur.**, 254 W. 23d St. N. Y.
- 1887 Alfred B. Jenkins (Mass.), **C.**, 71 John St., N. Y.
- 1895 Herman Joerns (Germany), 81 Park Ave., Orange.
- 1896 Alfred B. Johnson (N. J.), 75 Mechanic St., Newark.
- 1899 Benjamin F. Jones (N. Y.), So. Prospect St. S.
Orange.

- 1888 Charles H. Jones (N. Y.), 114 Fulton St., N. Y.
- 1883 Thomas Keck (Penn.), 172 Glenwood Ave., E. Orange.
- 1889 Edward L. Kellogg (Mich.), **Cur.**, 124 Cleveland St., Orange.
- 1882 Frederick W. Kelsey (N. Y.), **P., V. P.**, 150 Broadway, N. Y.
- 1879 David A. Kennedy (N. Y.), **P., V. P., S., Cur.**, 16 Lawn Ridge Road, Orange.
- 1884 Camillus G. Kidder (Md.), **P., V. P., C., S.**, 27 William St., N. Y.
- 1874 Allerton W. Kilborne (N. Y.), Orange.
- 1896 Alfred R. Kimball (N. J.), Orange.
- 1882 Alexander King (Scotland), 54 Leonard St. N. Y.
- 1883 Francis H. Kingsbury (Mass.), 63 Evergreen Pl., E. Orange.
- 1901 William J. Kingsland (N. Y.), Ridgewood Road, S. Orange.
- 1898 Coleman E. Kissam (N. J.), **C. S.**, West Orange.
- 1895 Joseph M. W. Kitchen (N. J.), 94 Prospect St., E. Orange.
- 1882 Wilbur S. Knowles (N. J.), 640 Park Ave., E. Orange.
- 1895 Charles F. Kroeh (Germany), 141 Center St., Orange.
- 1880 Hugh Lamb (Scotland), 36 Arlington Ave., E. Orange.
- 1895 Edward V. Z. Lane (N. Y.), 115 Harrison St., E. Orange.
- 1879 Isaac R. Lane (N. Y.), 34 Pine St., N. Y.

- 1898 Arthur B. Leach (Mich.), 2 Wall St., N. Y.
 1897 Lewis S. Lee (N. Y.), 132 Prospect St., E. Orange.
 1891 Samuel Lee (England), 57 Prospect St., E. Orange.
 1899 Ernst Lemcke (Germany), 812 Broadway, N. Y.
 1881 Charles A. Lighthipe (N. J.), Orange.
 1891 Charles A. Lindsley (N. J.), **S., T.**, Orange.
 1895 Stuart Lindsley (N. J.), 68 Cleveland St., Orange.
 1900 William B. Lloyd (N. J.), 62 Washington St., E. Orange.
 1899 Bloomfield Littell (N. J.), 46 E. Park St., E. Orange.
 1898 Adolphus N. Lockwood (N. Y.), 181 Broadway, N. Y.
 1886 Otto E. Loehrke (Germany), 89 Prospect St., E. Orange.
 1901 J. R. T. McCarroll (Ireland), 85 Lincoln Ave., Orange.
 1893 Edward D. McCollom (N. H.) **Cur.**, W. Orange.
 1890 Walter I. McCoy (N. Y.), **C.**, 149 Broadway, N. Y.
 1895 Robert P. McDougall (N. Y.), 151 Highland Ave., Orange.
 1897 John McKean (O.), 100 Heywood Ave., Orange.
 1889 William H. Macy (Mass.), Reynolds Terrace, Orange.
 1897 William S. Macy (Mass.), Reynolds Terrace, Orange.
 1892 A. Bell Malcomson (Eng.), Box 661, Orange.
 1896 Horace B. Mann (N. J.), 155 William St., Orange.
 1888 Stanford Marsh (N. J.), 17 Evergreen Place, E. Orange.

- 1885 Andrew Mason (Scotland), 30 Wall St., N. Y.
- 1870 William Mason (Mass.), 14 West 16th St., N. Y.
- 1887 Ambrose M. Matthews (N. J.), 93 Berkeley Ave.,
Orange.
- 1892 Henry E. Matthews (N. J.), Hillside Ave., Orange.
- 1872 Watson Matthews (Mass.), S. Orange.
- 1889 Charles A. Mead (N. Y.), **S., Cur.**, 172 William St.,
Orange.
- 1899 Morris B. Mead (N. Y.), S. Orange.
- 1886 Rufus Mead (N. Y.), 240 Main St., Orange.
- 1881 Charles A. Meigs (N. Y.), 10 Lawn Ridge Road,
Orange.
- 1901 George Merck (Germany), Washington Pl., and
8th St., N. Y.
- 1897 Edwin C. Merrill (N. H.), 33 Washington St., E.
Orange.
- 1870 John L. Merrill (Mass.), 308 William St., E.
Orange.
- 1883 Robert D. Merrill (N. Y.), Box 1104, N. Y.
- 1880 Jacob Mersereau (N. J.), 30 State St., E. Orange.
- 1881 Andrew Merwin (N. Y.), Box 640, Orange.
- 1897 Edward P. Merwin (Conn.), 35 Wall St., N. Y.
- 1897 George C. Miller (Conn.), So. Munn Ave., E.
Orange.
- 1894 T. Spencer Miller (Ill.) S. Orange.
- 1881 Charles J. Mills (England), 45 Oakwood Ave.,
Orange.
- 1899 William Milne (Ill.), 94 Park St., Orange.
- 1880 Josiah R. Mix (O.), 153 Fifth Ave., N. Y.
- 1896 E. V. Moffat (N. Y.), 476 Main St., Orange.

- 1880 Henry S. Morgan (N. J.), 511 W. 20th St., N. Y.
 1896 Richard K. Mosley (N. Y.), 139 Glenwood Ave.
 E. Orange.
 1901 N. D. Moulds, (Vt.), 21 Brighton Ave., E. Orange.
 1898 Ernest Napier (N. Y.), 14 Summit St., E. Orange.
 1880 Clarence D. Newell (Brazil), Orange Valley.
 1897 Samuel D. Northrop (N. J.), Orange.
 1882 Isaac C. Ogden (N. Y.), **V. P., C.**, 31 Highland
 Ave., Orange.
 1898 George F. Park (Mass.), 121 Walnut St., E. Orange.
 1901 Edward W. Peckham (R. I.), 15 Cleveland St.,
 Orange.
 1901 Newton B. Phelps (N. Y.), 170 Prospect St., E.
 Orange.
 1899 Edward S. Pierson (N. J.), 201 No. Arlington Ave.,
 E. Orange.
 1870 Charles J. Prescott (Me.), **C.**, 75 High St., Orange.
 1873 James E. Pulsford (England), S. Orange.
 1870 Edward E. Quimby (Me.), **V. P., C.**, 141 Broadway,
 N. Y.
 1895 Frank B. Reazor (Pa.), **C.**, St. Mark's Rectory, W.
 Orange.
 1888 Charles E. Renshaw (N. Y.), 80 South St., N. Y.
 1880 James E. Reynolds (N. J.), **C.**, 67 So. Munn Ave., E.
 Orange.
 1890 Dickinson W. Richards (Mass.), 141 Broadway,
 N. Y.
 1890 George Richards (Mass.), 141 Broadway, N. Y.
 1889 Arthur A. Richmond (Conn.), **C.**, 80 Park St., E.
 Orange.

- 1888 H. Murray Richmond (Conn.), 84 Clinton St., E. Orange.
- 1895 William Riker, Jr., (N. J.), 111 Cleveland St., Orange.
- 1897 Charles G. Ritchie (N. J.), 134 Cedar St., N. Y.
- 1900 Henry H. Rittre (Pa.), 46 Prospect St., E. Orange.
- 1896 Duncan I. Roberts (Penn.), 152 Harrison St., E. Orange.
- 1896 Douglas Robinson (Scotland), 55 Liberty St., N. Y.
- 1897 Harry T. Robinson (N. J.), 178 Main St., Orange.
- 1900 Adolph Roeder (Md.), 80 Cleveland St., Orange.
- 1901 Harold Roorbach (N. Y.), 134 Pearl St., N. Y.
- 1899 Charles T. Root (Mass.), 100 Harrison St., E. Orange.
- 1894 Mefford Runyon (N. J.), Box 293, S. Orange.
- 1889 Abraham H. Ryan (N. Y.), 51 Prospect St., E. Orange.
- 1901 Edward E. Sage (N. Y.), 33 Fairview Ave., Orange.
- 1900 Henry Sanderson (Pa.), 31 Hawthorne Ave., E. Orange.
- 1886 Edwards S. Sanford (Pa.), Ludington Road, W. Orange.
- 1899 Edward A. Sayre (N. J.), 59 Maiden Lane, N. Y.
- 1896 William Scheerer (N. Y.), Orange.
- 1895 Emile Schultze, Jr. (N. J.), 141 Broadway, N. Y.
- 1883 Frank H. Scott (Ind.), C., 33 E. 17th St., N. Y.
- 1881 George J. Seabury (N. Y.), 59 Maiden Lane, N. Y.
- 1897 George F. Seely (Ill.), Glenwood Ave., E. Orange.
- 1897 George F. Seward (N. Y.), 97 Cedar St., N. Y.
- 1874 John L. Seward (N. Y.), 416 Main St., Orange.

- 1895 Chandler Sexton (N. Y.), 172 Cleveland St., Orange.
- 1900 Frederick Seymour (N. Y.), 55 Prospect St., E. Orange.
- 1888 William G. Shackford (Mass.) S. Orange.
- 1870 Benjamin Shepard (Mass.), **C.**, 78 Harrison St., E. Orange.
- 1870 Fred M. Shepard (Conn.), **C.**, 22 Munn Ave., E. Orange.
- 1881 Allton H. Sherman (Conn.), **Cur.**, 104 Cleveland St., Orange.
- 1899 George W. Sill (N. Y.), 511 Central Ave., E. Orange.
- 1899 Edgar O. Silver (Vt.), 29 E. 19th St., N. Y.
- 1899 Willis H. Simpson (N. J.), 80 Hillyer St., E. Orange.
- 1894 Robert S. Sinclair (N. Y.), 143 Liberty St., N. Y.
- 1870 Albert D. Smith (Mass.), 35 Thomas St., N. Y.
- 1900 Albridge C. Smith (N. J.), 203 Lincoln Ave., Orange.
- 1895 Irving Smith (N. Y.), 21 Maiden Lane, N. Y.
- 1895 Stephen M. Smith (N. J.), 86 Cleveland St., Orange.
- 1896 Theodore H. Smith (N. J.), 22 Essex Ave., Orange.
- 1897 Willard Smith (Mich.), 419 Main St., Orange.
- 1901 William E. R. Smith (N. Y.), 156 Harrison St., E. Orange.
- 1883 Charles E. Souther (Mass.), 7 Nassau St., N. Y.
- 1897 Charles F. Spaulding (N. J.), 118 Prospect St., E. Orange.

- 1888 Francis Speir (N. Y.), S. Orange.
- 1898 George E. Spottiswoode (N. J.), 259 Central Ave.,
Orange.
- 1894 Edward O. Stanley (Mass.), 76 5th Ave., N. Y.
- 1887 Charles A. Sterling (N. Y.), 45 Broadway, N. Y.
- 1895 Charles B. Storrs (O.), Orange.
- 1895 Richard S. Storrs (N. J.), Orange.
- 1891 Joseph W. Stover (Mass.), C., 72 Harrison St., E.
Orange.
- 1897 Wayne B. Stowe (Penn.), 87 Hillyer St., E. Orange.
- 1878 William C. Swift (Mass.), 26 Exchange Pl., N. Y.
- 1899 William M. Swingle (O.), 114 Cleveland St.,
Orange.
- 1881 Samuel M. Taylor (N. J.), Box 3393, N. Y.
- 1889 Robert H. Thayer (Mass.), 21 Maiden Lane, N. Y.
- 1891 Ferdinand M. Thieriot (N. J.), Box 2922, N. Y.
- 1881 Henry B. Thomas (Penn.), S., 45 Broadway, N. Y.
- 1901 Pahud F. Thompson (Md.), 208 Highland Ave.,
Orange.
- 1901 Walter T. Thompson (Ind.), 11 John St., N. Y.
- 1901 George P. Toby (La.), 405 Meeker St., Orange.
- 1899 Nathaniel Tooker (N. Y.), 23 Evergreen Pl., E.
Orange.
- 1890 C. S. LeP. Trench (Eng.), 81 Fulton St., N. Y.
- 1899 Austin C. Trowbridge (N. Y.), 120 Walnut St., E.
Orange.
- 1898 Charles A. Trowbridge (N. Y.), 25 So Munn Ave.,
E. Orange.
- 1887 Henry H. Truman (Conn.), 40 Wall St., N. Y.
- 1870 George B. Turrell (Conn.), S. Orange.

- 1900 W. O. Turner (Me.), 509 Park Ave., E. Orange.
 1880 Edwin Underhill (N. Y.), Box 2090, N. Y.
 1881 George A. Vail (Vt.), Box 2651, N. Y.
 1891 Augustus H. Vanderpoel (N. Y.), 2 Wall St., N. Y.
 1895 Amos C. Van Gaasbeek (N. Y.), Orange.
 1895 Frederick J. L. Van Ness (N. J.), 198 Broadway, N. Y.
 1896 Charles H. Van Nostrand (N. Y.), Berkeley Ave.,
 Orange.
 1890 Harold T. Van Nostrand (N. Y.), 96 Hillside Ave.,
 Orange.
 1888 Bleeker Van Wagenen (N. Y.), C., 372 Fifth Ave.,
 N. Y.
 1898 Cornelius C. Vermeule (N. J.), 203 Broadway, N. Y.
 1901 Albert C. Wall (N. J.), Ralston Ave., S. Orange.
 1880 Hamilton Wallis (N. Y.), 48 Wall St., N. Y.
 1879 David S. Walton (N. H.), 64 Munn Ave., E. Orange.
 1895 Edgar B. Ward (N. J.), 92 Harrison St., E. Orange.
 1872 Josiah O. Ward (N. Y.), C., Box 3687, N. Y.
 1882 Mark A. Ward (N. J.), 81 Park St., Orange.
 1882 Robert Ward (England), C., S. Orange.
 1898 Herbert L. Waterman (Mass.), 80 Prospect St., E.
 Orange.
 1881 Thomas S. Waterman (R. I.), 97 Highland Ave.,
 Orange.
 1897 Franklin Webster (Ill.), 72 So. Clinton St., E.
 Orange.
 1899 William T. Wells (Mass.), 65 Prospect St., E. Orange.
 1901 E. G. West (N. J.), Cleveland St., Orange.
 1896 Henry White (N. J.), 141 Broadway, N. Y.
 1889 Stanley White (N. Y.), 99 Hillside Ave., Orange.

- 1898 Frank R. Wickes (W. Va.), 121 Washington St., E.
Orange.
- 1886 Edgar Williams (N. J.), Orange.
- 1881 Edward H. Williams (N. J.), 80 Hillyer St., E.
Orange.
- 1881 Ezra C. Williams (N. J.), 295 Main St., Orange.
- 1881 Horton D. Williams (N. J.), 99 Washington St., E.
Orange.
- 1895 Robert P. Williams (N. J.), 47 Cleveland St., Orange.
- 1898 Stephen W. Williams (N. J.), 18 Linden Pl., Orange.
- 1894 Theodore Wilson (N. Y.), 6 Wall St., N. Y.
- 1899 William R. Wilson (Pa.), 80 Leonard St., N. Y.
- 1895 Henry P. Winter (Newfoundland), 50 Wall St.,
N. Y.
- 1901 Theodore C. Woodbury (Me.), 17 Lawn Ridge Road,
Orange.
- 1888 Frank A. Wright (N. Y.), 95 Liberty St., N. Y.
- 1880 Charles B. Yardley (Penn.), 75 Worth St., N. Y.
- 1897 Everett Yeaw (Mass.), 29 E. 19th St., N. Y.
- 1880 Jay C. Young (N. Y.), 59 Broadway, N. Y.
- 1885 Frank J. Zimmermann (N. Y.), 119 Whitehall St.,
N. Y.

TOTAL (yearly), 367.

DECEMBER 31, 1901.

CONSTITUTION.

I.

The Society shall be known as THE NEW ENGLAND SOCIETY OF ORANGE. Its objects shall be to commemorate and foster the virtues of the Fathers of New England, and to cultivate social relations among its members.

II.

Any person of full age, being the native, or the son of a native, of any of the New England States, and any other person who may sympathize with the objects of this Society, may become a member on being elected according to the Constitution and By-Laws thereof, and paying the sum of five dollars to the Treasurer.

III.

The property and concerns of said Society shall be managed and directed by a Board of Officers, members of said Society, consisting of a President, two Vice-Presidents, six Counsellors, a Secretary and a Treasurer, to be elected and appointed annually, at such time and place, within the city of Orange, as shall be provided for by the By-Laws of said Association ; and to hold office

until their successors are duly elected. The Board shall have power to fill its own vacancies.

IV.

Amendments to this Constitution may be proposed at the Annual Meeting, but shall be acted upon only after the lapse of three months, and shall require for their adoption a two-thirds vote of the members present at a meeting called for that purpose, or at the next Annual Meeting.

BY-LAWS.

MEMBERSHIP.

I.

The total number of active members shall not exceed four hundred.

II.

The name of any person duly proposed and seconded for membership, by letters addressed to the Membership Committee, shall be posted on the Bulletin Board, for a period of not less than six weeks previous to action thereon. Such person shall become a member upon election, as provided in article XIV., and upon the payment of an initiation fee of five dollars, together with the annual dues for the current year, to the Treasurer, within thirty days after the notification of his election. The annual fee shall be five dollars, and shall be payable on the first day of April. But any person so elected may become a life member upon the payment of the sum of fifty dollars at one time. All members shall be required to sign the Constitution.

Honorary members may be elected at the Annual Meeting of the Society by the unanimous vote of the members present.

ELECTION OF OFFICERS.

III.

The election of officers and of members of the Committee on Membership, as hereinafter provided, shall take place at the Annual Meeting. Immediately after the meeting has been called to order, the presiding officer shall appoint a judge of election and two tellers, who shall forthwith declare the polls open and shall keep them open for the period of one hour. The Recording Secretary shall furnish printed ballots, which shall contain the names of all persons to be voted for who shall have been nominated by the Nominating Committee, as hereinafter provided, and also ballots containing the names of any other nominees, upon the written request of ten members of the Society. The judge and tellers shall proceed to count and announce the result of the ballot as soon as possible after the polls are closed, and the newly elected officers shall be installed forthwith. In the event of a failure to elect at any ballot, a further ballot shall be taken in such manner as the majority of the members present shall direct. A majority vote shall be necessary to elect the President, but a plurality vote shall elect in all other cases. The order of the Counsellors shall be determined by the number of votes received respectively.

BOARD OF OFFICERS.

IV.

The Board of Officers elect shall meet, within ten days after the Annual Meeting, for the appointment of its

own committees, etc., of the Corresponding Secretary and the Curator for the year ensuing ; a majority of the Board constituting a quorum for the transaction of business. At other meetings the Board may be governed by its own rules ; but the approval of a majority shall be necessary to all appropriations of money.

V.

The President, or, in his absence, either of the Vice-Presidents, or, if these three officers are absent, any two Counsellors, may call a special meeting of the Board of Officers.

VI.

The Board of Officers may, by the concurring votes of two-thirds of all its members, given *viva voce*, and entered on the Minutes, suspend from enjoying the privileges of the Society any member who may be guilty of gross misbehavior or scandalous or dishonest conduct. Such suspension shall continue until revoked by a vote of two-thirds of the members of the Board of Officers, or until the suspended member is restored to the Society by the votes of two-thirds of the members present at an annual meeting of the Society. The Society has the right to expel for cause on the vote of two-thirds present at any meeting, after due presentation by the Board and notice to the party charged.

VII.

There shall be two Standing Committees of the Board of Officers, each composed of five members. One shall

be called *The Committee of Public Welfare*, whose duty it shall be to examine and report upon such questions of local public interest as may from time to time be referred to it by the Society. The other shall be called *The Committee of Charities*, whose duty it shall be faithfully to distribute and expend, according to the Constitution and By-Laws of the Society, all moneys appropriated by the Society or the Board of Officers for charitable purposes and received by the Committee for that object.

VIII.

The Board of Officers may appropriate a portion of the annual income of the Society, not exceeding one-tenth, to the relief of indigent and unfortunate persons of New England origin. All other appropriations shall be made by the Society; but such as exceed fifty dollars, except for regular expenses, must receive the approval of the Board.

DUTIES OF OFFICERS.

IX.

The President, or if he is absent, the First Vice-President, or if they are both absent, the Second Vice-President, or if these three officers are absent, a chairman selected by the meeting, shall preside at the meetings of the Society and of the Board of Officers.

X.

The Recording Secretary shall keep a correct account, in a book provided for that purpose, of the proceedings

of the Society and of the Board of Officers, notify members of the times of meeting, and perform such other duties as the Board shall direct. He shall advise the Committee on Membership of all vacancies, and notify the new members of their election as soon as informed thereof.

XI.

The Corresponding Secretary shall conduct the correspondence with other societies, shall be *ex-officio* a member of the Lecture Committee, and shall edit the Society's publications.

XII.

The Treasurer shall have the custody of the funds and securities of the Society, and pay and dispose of the same in pursuance of the orders of the Society, or of the Board of Officers, as hereinafter provided, and shall render an account thereof as often as called upon to do so, and regularly at the Annual Meeting. He shall receive the membership fees and dues. The annual dues shall be payable on the first day of April, or, in the case of new members (who shall not pay twice within the same calendar year), as soon as they qualify. The Treasurer shall also report to the Recording Secretary monthly the names of all candidates who shall have qualified or who shall have failed to qualify. He shall also report any member who persistently neglects to pay his annual dues, whereupon his name shall be stricken from the roll.

XIII.

The Curator shall have charge of the Library and of the objects of curiosity or of science which may be acquired by the Society, and shall co-operate with the Committee on Rules and Rooms, in framing regulations for his special department.

COMMITTEES.

XIV.

There shall be a Membership Committee, consisting of nine members, which shall be elected by ballot at the regular meeting in June, 1888, and shall be divided by lot into three classes of three members each; the terms of office of each shall be, respectively, six months, a year and six months, and two years and six months, and thereafter the term of office of each class elected shall be three years.

Members to replace the outgoing class shall be elected in each year by the Society at its Annual Meeting, as hereinbefore provided. No elective officer shall be a member of this Committee, and the names of its members shall be posted in a conspicuous place in the Society's rooms. No member of the Committee shall propose or second the nomination of any candidate for membership in the Society. The duty of the Committee shall be to consider the names of any persons who may have been proposed and seconded for membership as provided in Section II. The proceedings of the Committee shall be secret and confidential. If, after due

inquiry, the application shall be approved by a vote of the Committee, the names of the persons proposed shall be presented to the Society at a regular meeting; whereupon a ballot shall be taken and the candidate shall be declared elected, provided not more than five negative nor less than ten affirmative votes are cast.

The election of each new member shall be immediately reported to the Secretary and Treasurer, and his name shall be publicly posted for a period of sixty days thereafter.

XV.

There shall be a Committee on Rules and Rooms of five members; an Auditing Committee of two, to audit the accounts of the Treasurer; a Library Committee of five, of whom the Curator shall be one; a Lecture Committee of five, of whom the Corresponding Secretary shall be one; a Committee on Local History; a Committee on Amendments of three; and a Committee on the Celebration of Forefathers' Day of five—all appointed annually by the Society on the President's nomination. These committees shall report to the Society at the Annual Meeting and as often as shall be deemed necessary.

XVI.

The Committee on Rules and Rooms shall report to the Society, for its approval, regulations for the use of the rooms, and may, in the interval between two meetings, decide any questions that arise; it shall also have exclusive charge of the economy and decoration of the Society's rooms, but shall incur no expense without the approval of the Society.

XVII.

The Library Committee shall report the needs of the Reading Room and the Library, and propose means for their accommodation and maintenance. They shall see that the books and periodicals are carefully treated, the Society's ownership in them plainly marked, and the source from which they are obtained suitably acknowledged.

XVIII.

The Lecture Committee, which shall be appointed at the monthly meeting in April, shall arrange and conduct any course of lectures or other entertainments which the Society may authorize, and shall be limited in its expenditures by the appropriations made therefor.

XIX.

The Committee on Amendments shall receive all amendments proposed by members, and shall report on them to the Society as hereinafter provided.

XX.

The Committee on Local History shall collect and secure for the Society such facts and traditions of the early and local history of the community as may seem worthy of preservation, and shall report at the Annual Meeting, or so often as occasion may require.

XXI.

The Committee on the Celebration of Forefathers' Day, which shall be appointed at the monthly meeting in April, shall arrange for and carry out such celebration of

Forefathers' Day as may be authorized, and shall be limited in its expenditure by the amount appropriated therefor.

XXII.

At the June meeting the President shall appoint a *Nominating Committee* of five members, which shall report at the October meeting nominations for the Board of Officers and members of the Membership Committee to be voted for at the Annual Meeting in November.

MEETINGS OF THE SOCIETY.

XXIII.

A monthly meeting of the Society shall be held at the Society's rooms on the first Saturday in every month, except July, August and September, and shall be called to order at 8 o'clock P. M.

Due notice will be given to each member by the Recording Secretary through the mail.

Twenty members shall constitute a quorum for the election of officers, or for the appropriation of money ; fifteen members shall constitute a quorum for the election of members or transaction of any other business ; but eleven members may adjourn a meeting to a day specified.

XXIV.

The Annual Meeting shall be held at the Society's rooms on the first Saturday in November of each year, or at such other time and place as the Board of Officers may direct, giving at least one week's notice in two of

the Orange papers, and shall be called to order at 8 o'clock, P. M.

XXV.

The President, or if he is absent from the city, one of the Vice-Presidents, shall, on the written request of any ten members of the Society, call a special meeting thereof. Due notice of the time of such meeting shall be given on the Bulletin Board of the Society, and by advertisement in two of the Orange papers. The business to be considered shall be expressly stated in such notice, and no other business shall be transacted.

ORDER OF BUSINESS.

XXVI.

The order of business at the Society's meetings shall be :

1. The Reading of the Minutes.
2. Reports of Committees when called for.
3. Unfinished business.
4. General business.

All questions of parliamentary practice shall be decided by "Cushing's Manual."

AMENDMENTS.

XXVII.

Amendments or alterations of the By-Laws may be made by a two-thirds vote of members present and voting at any regular or special meeting of the Society, provided the proposed changes shall have been reported by

the Amendment Committee, by posting a copy of the same on the Bulletin Board of the Society for at least two weeks, and a notice that an amendment will be offered shall have been in the Secretary's call for the meeting.

Any By-Law may be suspended at any meeting by unanimous vote of the members present.

VACANCIES.

XXVIII.

All Officers and Committees, except as herein otherwise provided, shall continue in office for one year, or until their successors are chosen; but vacancies which may occur from any cause may be filled at any monthly meeting of the Society, according to the modes of election prescribed.

In the case of the President, Recording Secretary or Treasurer, notice of election must be given at least one week previously in two Orange papers.

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